COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the Matter of:

THE NOTICE OF PURCHASED GAS)
ADJUSTMENT FILING OF WESTERN) CASE NO. 8839-E
KENTUCKY GAS COMPANY)

ORDER

On December 1, 1983, the Commission issued its Order in Case No. 8839 approving certain adjustments in rates and providing under certain conditions for the further adjustment of such rates when the wholesale cost of gas is increased or decreased or a refund is received.

On June 7, 1984, Western Kentucky Gas Company ("Western") notified the Commission that its wholesale cost of gas would be increased by its supplier, Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company ("Tennessee Gas"), effective July 1, 1984, and submitted with its notice certain information in compliance with its purchased gas adjustment clause on file with this Commission.

After reviewing the record in this case and being advised, the Commission is of the opinion and finds that:

(1) Western's notice of June 7, 1984, set out certain revisions in rates which Western proposed to place into effect, said rates being designed to pass on the wholesale increase in gas cost from its supplier in the amount of \$2,594,751 or 49.87 cents per Mcf.

- (2) Tennessee Gas has filed an application for increased rates to become effective July 1, 1984, with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.
- (3) Western's adjustment in rates under the purchased gas adjustment provisions approved by the Commission in its Order in Case No. 8839, dated December 1, 1983, is fair, just and reasonable and in the public interest and should be effective with gas supplied on and after July 1, 1984. This adjustment is subject to refund because Tennessee Gas' increase is subject to refund.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the rates in the Appendix to this Order be and they hereby are authorized effective with gas supplied on and after July 1, 1984; subject to refund.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that within 30 days of the date of this Order Western shall file with this Commission its revised tariffs setting out the rates authorized herein.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 22nd day of June, 1984.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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Chairman

Vice Chairman

Commissioner

ATTEST:

Secretary

APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERIVCE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 8839-E DATED 6/22/84

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by Western Kentucky Gas Company. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of this Commission prior to the date of this Order.

RATES:

Applicable to: All Gas Rates Schedules

Purchased Gas Adjustment

To each bill rendered under the above named rate schedules there shall be added an amount equal to: (\$0.0328) per Mcf of gas used during the billing period.

The base rates for the future application of the purchased gas adjustment clause of Western Kentucky Gas Company shall be:

Texas Gas Transmission Corp.	Demand	Commodity	Gas Rate
G-2	\$5.24	\$3.2146	-0-
G-3	6.06	3.2605	-0-
G-4	6.60	3.2964	-0-
Tennessee Gas Pipeline Comp.			
GS-2	-0-	.6656/Mcf	3.1208/Mcf
Local Producers	-0-	-0-	3.4597/Mcf